



**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q78108

Kenji NAKAJIMA

Appln. No.: 10/692,011

Group Art Unit: 1641

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Examiner: Leon Yun Bon LUM

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For: ASSAY METHOD USING A BIOCHEMICAL ANALYSIS UNIT AND BIOCHEMICAL ANALYSIS APPARATUS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of November 1, 2005 and the Advisory action of February 24, 2006, from February 1, 2006 to April 1, 2006.

A check for the statutory fee of \$450.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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